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SUBJ: PRIME MINISTER SIDES WITH DUTCH AND ISRAELIS

IN OIL CRISIS

1. ACCORDING TO DANISH WIRE SERVICE, PRIME MINISTER ANKER JORGENSEN SAID DURING PROVINCIAL VISIT NOVEMBER 5 THAT DENMARK WILL MAKE COMMON CAUSE WITH HOLLAND SO THAT EUROPEAN COMMUNITY WILL BE MEANINGFUL. HE RECOMMENDED THAT DENMARK GO INTO EC NEGOTIATIONS ON OIL CRISIS WITH A POSITIVE ATTITUDE. UNCLASSIFIED

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- 2. PM SAID HE HOPES OIL RATIONING WILL NOT BE NECESSARY IN DENMARK BUT CALLED FOR REALIZATION THAT DANISH RESOURCES CAN BE DEPLETED AS SITUATION DEVELOPS, WHICH WILL CREATE PROBLEMS. PRICES WILL CLIMB DANGEROUSLY, HE EMPHASIZED.
- 3. IN RESPONSE TO SUGGESTION THAT DANES NOT TAKE SIDES IN MIDDLE EAST CONFLICT, JORGENSEN SAID HIS SYMPATHY WAS MAINLY WITH ISRAEL. "I CONSIDER MOST RECENT WAR TO HAVE BEEN STARTED BY ARABS, AND I CAN DEFEND ISRAEL'S AGRESSIVENESS MOST OF THE WAY BECAUSE ITS NEIGHBORS REALLY WANT TO PUSH IT OUT INTO THE MEDITERRAEAN.". CROWE

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